

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device comprising:

a disk-determination unit configured to determine whether or not an that an inserted disk is a subject disk when the inserted disk is a subject disk that is of a predetermined type and that type and when the inserted disk stores a predetermined menu;

an additional recording-mode control unit configured to set a mode for indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed; and

an additional recording-control unit configured to update the predetermined menu based on additionally-recorded data when the disk-determination unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk of the predetermined type and the additional recording-mode control unit indicates that additional recording is allowed.

2. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device comprising:

a disk-determination unit configured to determine whether or not an that an inserted disk is a subject disk when the inserted disk is a subject disk that is of a DVD + RW type and that type, when the inserted disk has a predetermined recording format, and when the inserted disk stores a predetermined menu;

an additional recording-mode control unit configured to set a ~~mode for~~ mode, for indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed, only when the inserted disk is determined to be the subject disk; and

an additional recording-control unit configured to update the predetermined menu based on additionally-recorded data when the disk-determination ~~means~~ unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk and the additional recording-mode control unit indicates that additional recording is allowed.

3. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, wherein the disk-determination unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk when ~~[[a]]~~ the predetermined recording format of the inserted disk is a DVD + RW video-recording format.

4. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, wherein the predetermined menu is a DVD menu holding a list of video data items recorded onto the inserted disk.

5. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, wherein the predetermined menu is video data generated by using the still-image data recorded onto the inserted disk.

6. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, wherein the additional recording-control unit deletes the predetermined menu when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk.

7. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, wherein, when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk and an instruction to take out the inserted disk is issued, the additional recording-control unit updates the predetermined menu on the basis of the additionally recorded data.

8. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device according to Claim 2, further comprising:

a message display-control unit configured to show a predetermined message;

and

an operation input-reception unit configured to receive a predetermined operation ~~input~~; input.

wherein[[,]] when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk and an instruction to take out the inserted disk is issued, the additional recording-control unit makes the message display-control unit show the predetermined message to confirm that the predetermined menu is to be updated and updates the predetermined menu on the basis of the additionally recorded data when the operation input-reception unit receives update-confirmation information.

9. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device comprising:

a disk-determination unit configured to determine whether or not an that an
inserted disk is a subject disk when the inserted disk is a subject disk that is of a DVD +
RW type and that type, when the inserted disk has a predetermined recording format,
and when the inserted disk stores a predetermined menu;

a message display-control unit configured to produce a display image, the
display image being adapted to confirm whether additional data is allowed to be
recorded onto the inserted disk when the disk-determination unit determines the
inserted disk to be the subject disk;

an operation input-reception unit configured to receive a confirmation input for
the display image indicating whether the additional data is allowed to be recorded;

an additional recording-mode control unit configured to set a mode for indicating
whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed based on the confirmation
input; and

an additional recording-control unit configured to update the predetermined menu
for the additionally-recorded data when the additional recording-mode control unit sets a
mode indicating that additional recording is allowed.

10. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device according to Claim 9,
wherein the disk-determination unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk
when [[a]] the predetermined recording format of the inserted disk is a DVD + RW-video
recording format.

11. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein the predetermined menu is a DVD menu holding a list of video data items recorded onto the inserted disk.

12. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein the predetermined menu is video data generated by using still-image data recorded onto the inserted disk.

13. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein the additional recording-control unit deletes the predetermined menu.

14. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein the additional recording-control unit deletes the predetermined menu when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk.

15. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein, when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk and an instruction to take out the inserted disk is issued, the additional recording-control unit updates the predetermined menu on the basis of the additionally recorded data.

16. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein when the additional data is recorded onto the inserted disk and an instruction to take out the inserted disk is issued, the additional recording-control unit controls the

message display-control unit to show information adapted to confirm that the predetermined menu is to be updated and updates the predetermined menu on the basis of the additionally recorded data when the operation input-reception unit receives the update-confirmation information.

17. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein when the confirmation input indicates that the additional data cannot be recorded, the message display-control unit causes the display image to be produced again, the display image being adapted to confirm whether or not the additional data is allowed to be recorded when a power is turned again.

18. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein when the confirmation input indicates that the additional data cannot be recorded, the message display-control unit causes the display image to be produced again, the display image being adapted to confirm whether or not the additional data is allowed to be recorded when a shift to a predetermined photographing mode is made.

19. (Previously Presented) An image-recording device according to Claim 9, wherein when the confirmation input indicates that the additional data cannot be recorded, the message display-control unit causes the display image to be produced again, the display image being adapted to confirm whether or not the additional data is allowed to be recorded when a predetermined photographing operation is performed.

20. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device comprising:

a disk-determination unit configured to determine ~~whether or not an~~ that an
inserted disk is a subject disk when the inserted disk is a subject disk that is of a DVD +
RW ~~type and that type~~, when the inserted disk has a predetermined recording format,
and when the inserted disk stores a predetermined menu;

an additional recording-mode control unit configured to set a mode for indicating
whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed; and

an additional recording-control unit configured to disable additional recording
when the disk-determination unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk and
the additional recording-mode control unit indicates that additional recording is
prohibited.

21. (Currently Amended) An image-recording device according to Claim 20,
wherein the disk-determination unit determines the inserted disk to be the subject disk
when ~~[[a]]~~ the predetermined recording format of the inserted disk is a DVD + RW-video
recording format.

22. (Currently Amended) An image recording-control method comprising:
determining a type of an inserted disk;
determining whether or not a predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted
disk;

determining that the inserted disk is a subject disk when the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW and when the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

setting a mode indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed; and

updating the predetermined menu based on additionally recorded data when ~~it is determined that the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW and the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk and~~ the inserted disk is determined to be the subject disk and the mode indicates that additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed.

23. (Currently Amended) An image recording-control method:

determining a type of an inserted disk;

determining a recording format of the inserted disk;

determining whether or not a predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

producing a display image adapted to confirm whether or not additional data is allowed to be recorded onto the inserted disk when it is determined that the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW, the recording format of the inserted disk is a DVD + RW-video recording format, and the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

receiving a confirmation input for the display image indicating whether the additional data is allowed to be recorded;

setting a mode for indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed based on the confirmation input; and

updating the predetermined menu based on the additionally-recorded data when the mode indicates that additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed.

24. (Currently Amended) A non-transitory computer-readable medium comprising instructions executable by a computer processor to implement a method for image recording control, the method comprising:

determining a type of an inserted disk;

determining whether or not a predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

determining that the inserted disk is a subject disk when the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW and when the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

setting a mode indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed; and

updating the predetermined menu based on additionally recorded data when it is ~~determined that the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW and the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk and~~ the inserted disk is determined to be the subject disk and the mode indicates that additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed.

25. (Currently Amended) A non-transitory computer-readable medium comprising instructions executable by a computer processor to implement a method for image recording control, the method comprising:

determining a type of an inserted disk;

determining a recording format of the inserted disk:

determining whether or not a predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

producing a display image adapted to confirm whether additional data is allowed to be recorded onto the inserted disk when it is determined that the type of the inserted disk is DVD + RW, the recording format of the inserted disk is a DVD + RW-video recording format, and the predetermined menu is recorded onto the inserted disk;

receiving a confirmation input for the display image indicating whether the additional data is allowed to be recorded; ~~and~~

setting a mode indicating whether additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed based on the confirmation input; and

updating the predetermined menu based on the additionally recorded data when ~~and~~ the mode indicates that additional recording onto the inserted disk is allowed.